

District I  
1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240  
District II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210  
District III  
1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410  
District IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy Minerals and Natural Resources  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

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Form C-141  
Revised March 17, 1999

Submit 2 Copies to appropriate  
District Office in accordance  
with Rule 116 on back  
side of form

Release Notification and Corrective Action

30-015-01642  
n CLB 0524552997

OPERATOR

☒ Initial Report ☐ Final Report

Name of Company <b>HANSON ENERGY</b>	Contact	
Address <b>P.O. Box 1348 ARTESIA</b>	Telephone No. <b>505-746-2262</b>	
Facility Name <b>STATE FU/FW BATTERY</b>	Facility Type <b>TANK BATTERY</b>	
Surface Owner <b>STATE OF NM</b>	Mineral Owner <b>HANSON ENERGY</b>	Lease No. <b>B-7966-15 / B2071-6</b>

LOCATION OF RELEASE

Unit Letter <b>J</b>	Section <b>31</b>	Township <b>17S</b>	Range <b>28E</b>	Feet from the <b>1650</b>	North/South Line <b>S</b>	Feet from the <b>2310</b>	East/West Line <b>E</b>	County <b>EDDY</b>
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NATURE OF RELEASE

Type of Release <b>OIL</b>	Volume of Release <b>100 BBL</b>	Volume Recovered <b>0</b>
Source of Release <b>OIL STORAGE TANK</b>	Date and Hour of Occurrence <b>8/31/05</b>	Date and Hour of Discovery <b>8/31/05 10:00 AM</b>
Was Immediate Notice Given? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Required	If YES, To Whom? <b>8/31/05 MIKE BRATCHER</b>	
By Whom? <b>WARREN HANSON</b>	Date and Hour <b>8/31/05 11:00 AM</b>	
Was a Watercourse Reached? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, Volume Impacting the Watercourse.	

If a Watercourse was Impacted, Describe Fully.\*

Describe Cause of Problem and Remedial Action Taken.\*

**2" to 4" SWEDGE FAILED AT JALVE AT BACK OF TANK**

Describe Area Affected and Cleanup Action Taken.\*

**HAD VACUUM TRUCK VACUUM UP FREE OIL**

I hereby certify that the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and understand that pursuant to NMOC rules and regulations all operators are required to report and/or file certain release notifications and perform corrective actions for releases which may endanger public health or the environment. The acceptance of a C-141 report by the NMOC marked as "Final Report" does not relieve the operator of liability should their operations have failed to adequately investigate and remediate contamination that pose a threat to ground water, surface water, human health or the environment. In addition, NMOC acceptance of a C-141 report does not relieve the operator of responsibility for compliance with any other federal, state, or local laws and/or regulations.

Signature: <b>Kathie Hanson</b>	OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION		
Printed Name: <b>KATHIE HANSON</b>	Approved by District Supervisor:	<b>TIM GUM</b> <b>by MB</b> <b>Mike Bratcher</b>	
Title: <b>PRODUCTION CLERK</b>	Approval Date: <b>9/19/05</b>	Expiration Date: <b>N/A</b>	
Date: <b>9/14/05</b>	Phone: <b>746-2262</b>	Conditions of Approval:	Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

\* Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary



# NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS and NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

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Director

**Oil Conservation Division**

Hanson Energy  
PO Box 1348  
Artesia, NM 88211-1348

September 19, 2005

Re: State FW 001 Tank Battery      J-31-17s-28e      30-015-01642      Incident # nCLB0524552997

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division District II Office is in receipt of an Initial Report C-141 reporting a produced fluids release that occurred on 8/31/2005 at or near the above referenced well site.

Please submit a Corrective Action Work Plan to this office for correction/remediation of this release. Please use the "Guidelines For Remediation of Leaks, Spills, and Releases" as your guide.

This document may be found on the NMOCD web site: [www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd](http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd) , under Publications/Environmental Handbook/Miscellaneous Guidelines/Spill Prevention Clean up.

The work plan presented to the NMOCD must include general site characteristics, site ranking score, soil remediation action levels, soil remediation methods, and planned analytical testing for TPH, B-TEX , Chlorides or any other CoCs as applicable.

A final Form C-141 is required for closure of the release incident and must include a report of remediation actions taken with final analytical results attached.

BLM approval required if applicable.

**Please have the requested work plan in the Artesia office on or before October 10, 2005. The NMOCD District II Office must be notified 24 hours prior to any remediation actions and/or subsequent soil samples taken for analysis.**

**In the event that a satisfactory response is not received to this letter** further enforcement will occur. Such enforcement may include this office applying to the Division for an order summoning you to a hearing before a Division Examiner in Santa Fe. Such a hearing may result in imposition of **CIVIL PENALTIES** for your violation of NMOCD rules.

If I can be of assistance in this matter, my contact information is listed below.

*Mike Bratcher*

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